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SUBJECT: SPAIN TO SUPPORT U.S. MTCR UAV/CRUISE MISSILE
PROPOSAL (C)

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(C) ESTHOFF passed reftel points March 2 to MFA Disarmament Affairs Deputy Director General Ignacio Sanchez, urging Spain to instruct its representative at the March Oslo MTCR Technical Experts Meeting (TEM) to support the revised U.S. UAV/Cruise Missile proposal. Sanchez told ESTHOFF that at a recent meeting in Brussels, the EU's Nonproliferation Committee (CONOP) had agreed to support the revised U.S. UAV/Cruise Missile proposal. As a result, the Spanish representative at the Oslo TEM (mostly likely Ambassador Manuel Viturro de la Torre), will be instructed to support the U.S. proposal.

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